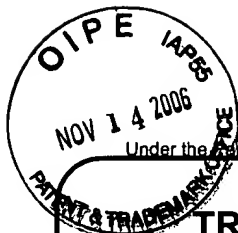


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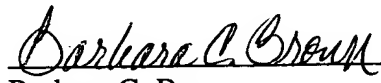
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In response to the non-final Office Action mailed August 16, 2006 rejecting Claims 1-26 and 28 of the above-referenced Application, in which Claims 1-26 and 28 are pending, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. In view of these amendments and remarks, Applicants submit that the Application is now in condition for allowance and respectfully request such action.